Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, With hard work and dedication, the city of Vermillion has established a new business—Masaba Mining Equipment's new corporate headquarters and industrial facility; and,

Whereas, South Dakota is proud to have a quality business such as Masaba as a representative for our state; and,

Whereas, The state of South Dakota encourages the ongoing success of businesses that provide significant services and employment opportunities to their community, and Masaba's excellent leadership and employees are a great fit with the people of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, The spirit and vitality of business are woven deeply into the fabric of the American economy; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper that we recognize the major role this new business offers to the community of Vermillion and to the state of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, On Thursday, October 27, 2005, a ribbon cutting will take place to welcome Masaba Mining Equipment's new corporate headquarters and industrial facility:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 27, 2005, as

MASABA MINING EQUIPMENT DAY

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-sixth Day of October in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Five.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State